

**I. Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace paragraph [0007] with the following amended paragraph:

[0007] Whilst all of these objectives can be achieved with an appropriate communications system if, due to an error in that communications system, communication between the seat and the central processing unit breaks down, ~~[[.]] The the~~ central processing unit may incorrectly determine that the seat is not present, ~~and then, in~~ in an accident situation, the central processing unit would then not transmit signals to the seat to deploy the relevant safety devices.

Please replace paragraph [0045] with the following amended paragraph:

[0045] A further inter-face 58 is provided which is a front air-bag inter-face. The front air-bag inter-face is associated with a sensor 59 (shown in Fig. 1) provided on the seat and adapted to sense the weight of the occupant of the seat, or the position of the occupant of the seat and to generate a signal which can be utilised within the control arrangement of the front air-bag, to control the timing and/or rate of deployment of the front air-bag in dependence upon the weight and/or position of the occupant of the seat.